Appendix C. Computer Ownership and Use Questions: October 1989 and 1984

63. At home, what does . . . use the

Questions asked of persons 3 to 14 years old:

Word processing	
Graphics	
LEAD IN: This next set of questions has to Other	
do with 's direct or hands on use of Don't know	
computers. These computers may be personal or home computers, mini computers, or mainframe computers. These questions do not refer to hand-held calculators or games, electronic video game systems, or systems which do not use a typewriter-like keyboard. 61. Does directly use a computer at school? Yes O	use O
62. Does directly use a computer at home? Yes (Ask 63) No (Go to 65) 65. Was attending or enrolled in a school in October, 1988, that is, October of last year? Yes (No (Solve)) No (Solve)	regular
END QUESTIONS	

Questions asked of persons 15 years old and over:

	50. CHECK ITEM
	Entry of "Yes" in item 30 (ASK 51)
	All others (GO TO 52)
	51. Does directly use a computer at school?
	Yes O
	No ()
	110 0
	52. CHECK ITEM
LEAD IN: This next set of questions has to do	
with 's direct or hands on use of computers.	Entry of "Yes" in item 44 (ASK 53)
These computers may be personal or home computers,	
mini computers, or mainframe computers.	All others (GO TO 56)
These questions do not refer to hand-held calculators	
or games, electronic video games, or systems which	53. Does directly use a computer at home?
do not use a typewriter-like keyboard.	Yes ○ <i>(ASK 54)</i>
ASK ITEMS 44, 45, and 46 ONCE OF FIRST	No ○ <i>(GO TO 56)</i>
RESPONDENT IN HOUSEHOLD. TRANSCRIBE	
DIRECTLY FOR FOLLOWING RESPONDENTS	54. At home what does use the computer for?
AND BEGIN WITH ITEM 47.	(SHOW FLASHCARD B. MARK ALL THAT APPLY)
AND BEGIN WITH ITEM 47.	Word processing
44. Is there a computer in this household?	Household records/finances
	School assignments
Yes (ASK 45)	Connect to computer
No ○ <i>(FILL 47)</i>	at work/work at home O
45. In what year was the computer purchased?	Home-based business
1989 🔾 1985 🔾	Bulletin boards
1988 0 1984 0	Desktop publishing/newsletters O
1987 O Before 1984 O	Learning to use the computer O
1986 O Don't Know O	Spread sheets
1900 C DON'T KNOW C	Programming
46. Which of the following items does this computer	Graphics
have? (READ LIST – MARK ALL THAT APPLY)	Telemarketing
Floppy disk drive O Color monitor O	Databases
Hard disk drive O Dot matrix	Electronic mail
Telephone modem O printer O	Other
Laser printer O Plotter O	Don't know
Joystick or Don't know	Don't know
mouse control.	55. During the last month, on average how many days
	per week did use the computer at home?
47. CHECK ITEM	7 days ○ 1 day ○
Entry or NA in	6 days O Less than
item 20A or item 21B () (ASK 48)	5 days O once a week O
All others (GO TO 50)	4 days O Not used
48. Does directly use a computer at work?	3 days O in last month O
Yes O	2 days O Don't know C
No O	
49. At work, what does use the computer for?	
(SHOW FLASHCARD A. MARK ALL THAT APPLY)	
Word processing O Analysis O	
Bookkeeping O Spread sheets O	
Computer-assisted Sales O	
design (CAD) ()	
Calendar/scheduling () Invoicing ()	
Graphics O	
Inventory control Databases	
Programming	
Desktop publishing/ Instruction O ther O	
Communications O Don't know O	